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Microbicidal active substances	
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item (1) 04 August 1998 (04.08.98)	98810749.6		EP	
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description (excluding sequence listing part) : 20
claims : 2
abstract : 1
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Total number of sheets : 27

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